

OF LOCAL INTEREST

L. G. Grover is now at Hagerman, New Mexico.

Ira Allman and family have moved from Albuquerque to Gallup.

Mrs. Will Davis of Orogrande came Saturday for a visit with her parents.

N. A. Wells and T. E. Smith attended the Socialist meeting at Willard Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Flesher departed Sunday on their outing according to schedule.

J. J. Smith went to Willard Saturday to attend the Socialist meeting which was held there.

For sale, a good new mower. For rent, a furnished house.—Mrs. Olive, Estancia, N. M.

Mrs. Elmo Lucas of El Paso, Texas, came up Saturday to visit friends and attend to business matters.

D. F. Heal of near Lucia was a business visitor in Estancia Friday. He reports good crop prospects in his neighborhood.

Miss Isabelle Guinn came in from Las Vegas last Friday, and will remain for some time looking after her claim and visiting.

Rev. Summers went to Mountainair Saturday to attend the Sunday School convention, intending to remain till Wednesday.

The Inspector Ryan of Las Vegas was here Thursday and Friday and put his O. K. on ten car loads of ties delivered by E. Romero under his contract with the Santa Fe road.

S. B. Orin who lives about six miles west of town, reports that farm operations in his neighborhood have been interfered with during the past week by too frequent rains.

An item reported too late for last week's issue: On last Friday Mrs. Parrett charmingly entertained a number of friends, Mrs. Deusing, formerly of this place but now of El Paso, Texas, being the guest of honor.

Miss Emma Parrett has returned from Silver City, where she had been attending the State Normal. She received from that institution the degree of Bachelor of Pedagogy, which is equivalent to a life certificate to teach in this state, and most of the other mountain states also.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Jensen are the proud parents of a fine son, born Saturday, July 20th. The young man's name is Neal Garvin Jensen. The mother and boy are doing well, but Neal Sr. is slightly round shouldered with the weight of honor and responsibility.

Rev. W. E. Warren, rector of St. John's Episcopal parish at Albuquerque and archdeacon of New Mexico, was here Friday and Saturday calling on members of that denomination. He went to Willard Saturday evening. He will arrange to hold services here at some time in the future.

Antonio Salazar returned last Thursday from his sheep ranch near Bianca, where he has been spending most of his time recently looking after the shearing and shipping of his wool. He is one of the largest sheep raisers of the county, and reports a very satisfactory clip and lambing season. He did not sell his wool to a buyer, but shipped it to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. James Terry visited friends at McIntosh last Sunday.

Rev. Edwards has a house well along toward completion on his claim.

Ralph Easley of Santa Fe was in town Tuesday and Wednesday on legal business.

Mrs. Mary Ellis and S. A. Goldsmith and little son came in from Texas Wednesday.

R. F. Boyles of Iowa City, Iowa, transacted business in the county seat last Tuesday.

Johnson Pence came over from Albuquerque last Friday and remained several days visiting.

Miss Rothie Soper of McIntosh has been the guest of Mrs. Monte Goodin during the past week.

W. J. Pittman is now located at San Jon, New Mexico, having gone there recently from Bard.

Hughes Mercantile Co. shipped another car of Estancia Valley beans to El Paso this week.

Rev. Julius Hartman held services at the Catholic church Monday and Wednesday of this week.

Leroy Helfrich, route agent of Wells Fargo & Co. Express, was in the city this week on business.

Sam Cartwright of the wholesale firm of H. B. Cartwright & Bro. of Santa Fe, was here on Wednesday.

J. U. Frye, who has a ranch near McIntosh, came in Tuesday from California, where he spent the past winter.

It is reported that Earl Scott has sold his interest in the Ogier-Scott Lumber Co., to his former partner, A. P. Ogier.

M. L. Morgan (no relation of J. P.) a well known drummer of El Paso, Texas, called on the trade Wednesday.

The past week has been a quite rainy one, heavy showers falling in nearly every part of the Valley.

We are glad to report that Dr. and Mrs. Ewing's baby, which has been having a hard fight for life, has been improving during the past week or two.

Leo P. Padilla has taken the position of foreman in Romero's planing mill again. He came down from Las Vegas last Thursday and Mrs. Padilla will follow about the first of August. Mr. Padilla has been working in the railroad shops in Las Vegas. He reports business very dull there. Several train crews have been laid off in the past few weeks.

Not only should Estancia have a good representation at the meeting to be held at Mountainair on Resources Day, July 29th, but every neighborhood in the county should be represented. This is not a town proposition only. The farming population is equally interested, and some of the best boosters in the county are farmers. The farmers should have a large representation at this meeting.

Evangelist R. G. Edwards closed a very successful meeting of only a week's duration at the Fair View school house Sunday night. There were twelve baptisms and one took membership, making 13 in all—all heads of families save one. Good attendance and good order throughout. The Evangelist is moving to the valley and will be permanently located here after October 1st, and will have charge of evangelistic work in these parts.

Burruss Brothers unloaded a car of flour and chops the first part of the week.

E. N. Peden, master mechanic of the N. M. C., went to Albuquerque Tuesday evening on business.

WANTED, the person who borrowed my wheelbarrow to return it and avoid trouble, Raymond Epler.

Earl Scott came down from the mountains the latter part of last week to remain in town several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Braxton left Sunday on an outing trip, going in company with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Flesher.

The Estancia Lumber Co. has received several cars of coal during the past week. It is hoped that several well drilling machines will be shipped in shortly and use up all the coal which Mr. Kelly has stored and compel him to order several more cars.

E. L. Smith departed Tuesday evening for Torrance, where he becomes joint car inspector for the N. M. C. and El Paso & Southwestern. Ollie Jackson has been promoted to the vacant place here.

Miss Marie Gabaldon, daughter of P. Gabaldon of Albuquerque, is reported seriously ill with typhoid fever. Miss Gabaldon is stenographer for the Southwestern Correspondence School in Albuquerque. Miss Marie visited in Estancia last month and has friends here who will regret to hear of her illness.

Two lectures on "Social Purity" will be given on Saturday night, July 27th, at 8:30, one in the Brashears building to men only, and the other in the M. E. church by Mrs. Crawford to ladies only. We welcome boys and girls of any age who receive their parents' permission to come.—J. H. Crawford.

The Socialist party of Torrance county met in convention Saturday at Willard for the purpose of electing a county committee and forming a county organization. Thos. S. Smith was made chairman and Rev. Austin of Lucia was made secretary. After doing its work the convention adjourned. The Socialists of Willard set up a free dinner to the visiting members of the party.

DIED

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Tuttle's baby died Monday afternoon about four o'clock.

Funeral services were held Tuesday in the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Edwards, and the remains were buried in the Estancia cemetery.

The loss of their little one is a sad blow for Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle, and they have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their sorrow.

Word comes from Texas that Mrs. Ona Goldsmith died last Friday and was buried Sunday at Claude, Texas. We have no particulars, but as reports some time ago were to the effect that she was growing worse, presumably she continued to sink until death came. She had many friends here who will mourn her death.

Gran Baile en Chilili el dia 26 de Julio, dia de Santa Ana. Todas son invitadas cordialmente. El baile sera dada en la Sala nueva de Anastacio Guterrez. La musica sera suplida por Alfredo Martinez.

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